

Amendments to Senate Bill No. 270
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For the House State Administration Committee

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Following: line 19

Insert: "COORDINATION SECTION. Section 2. Coordination instruction. If both House Bill No. 520 and [this act] are passed and approved and both amend 13-10-503, then the sections amending 13-10-503 are void and 13-10-503 must read as follows:

"13-10-503. **Filing deadlines.** (1) A petition for nomination and the affidavits of circulation required by 13-27-302, accompanied by the required filing fee, must be filed with the same officer with whom other nominations for the office sought are filed. Petitions must be submitted, at least 1 week before the deadline for filing, to the election administrator in the county where the signer resides for verification and certification by the procedures provided in 13-27-303 through 13-27-306. In the event if there are insufficient signatures on the petition, additional signatures may be submitted before the deadline for filing. If sufficient signatures are verified and certified pursuant to 13-10-502, the county election administrator shall file the petition for nomination with the same officer with whom other nominations for the office sought are filed.

(2) Except as provided in 13-10-504, each petition for nomination, accompanied by the required filing fee, must be filed before the scheduled primary election or the filing deadline for the special or general election if a primary election is not scheduled by the deadline established in 13-10-201(6)."

{ Internal References to 13-10-503:

13-10-505* 13-10-604* }

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Explanation - This is a coordination instruction to handle the conflict between sections amending 13-10-503 in SB 270 and HB 520. This coordination means that the language in HB 520, which affected subsection (2), is overridden by SB 270 language. This has been approved by the Secretary of State's office (requestor of SB 520).